What Is A G.P.A.?

Grade Level	Eleventh
Minimum Time Required	30 Minutes
Materials/Resources	Calculator Student transcript copies Copy of school's GPA Table List of weighted classes
Subject Area(s)	Math -Guidance

Project Description:

- 1. Distribute copies of their school transcript to each student.
- 2. Also distribute a copy of the GPA table and a listing of the weighted classes.
- 3. Show the students the process for computing their grade point average. Show them also the process for working with weighted classes in computer their GPA.
- 4. Discuss grade point average and transcripts with students individually as they have questions.
- 5. Discuss with them the importance GPA may have on technical institute/university admission. Share with them strategies for improving their grade point average.

Career Development Standard	Understanding the relationship between educational		
Career Development Standard	achievements and career planning.		
Career Development Indicator	Describe how skills developed in academic and occupational		
	programs relate to career goals.		
	Describe how education relates to the selection of college		
	majors, further training, and/or entry into the job market.		
Delivery Level	Introductory		
Academic Standards			
Language Arts	1.4.c compile and synthesize information to make reasonable		
	and informed decisions.		
Employability/SCANS Skills	Basic Skills		
Assessment/Rubric	Students will be evaluated on class participation.		

Submitted by: Sturgis High School Counseling Office **Counselors need to double check transcripts before handing them out.

Finding your GPA

Table*

*Grading Scale will vary according to each individual school

Α	4
A-	3.75
B+	3.5
В	3.
B-	2.75
C+	2.50
С	2.
C-	1.75
D+	1.50
D	1.
D-	.75

Weighted Classes

Α	5.
A-	4.75
B+	4.50
В	4.
B-	3.75
C+	3.5
С	3.
C-	2.75
D+	2.50
D	2.
D-	1.75

Weighted classes

AP English 10, AP American Literature, AP English 12, Chemistry (99-00 and before), Human Anatomy, AP Chemistry, AP Biology, Physics, Algebra 3, Pre-Calculus, Calculus, Accounting, Foreign Languages 2 & 3.